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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Ikuo KAWAUCHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/743,441

Group Art Unit: 1752

Confirmation No.: 1762

Examiner: Sin J. Lee

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For: HEAT-SENSITIVE LITHOGRAPHIC PRINTING PLATE PRECURSOR

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 4, 2005 to Tuesday, July 5, 2005. Monday, July 4, 2005 was the Independence Day holiday.

A check for the statutory fee of \$120.00 is attached. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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